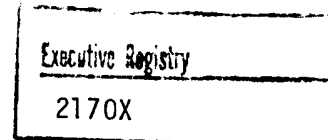


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Dear Mr. Attorney General:

I am writing to request your comment on a bill I recently introduced in the House of Representatives.

As you know, the United States faces a vast network of Soviet and Soviet-bloc foreign intelligence officers operating within our borders under diplomatic and commercial cover. By contrast, America's ability to monitor and restrain the activities conducted by these agents is very limited, as the FBI itself has acknowledged.

This situation, along with the recent revelations concerning the security arrangements in the American and Soviet embassies, has prompted me to introduce H.R. 2083, a bill aimed at countering this hostile intelligence threat. My legislation, which I will soon offer as an amendment to the Foreign Affairs Authorization Act for fiscal year 1988, would mandate tighter travel restrictions on foreign diplomats of nations engaged in terrorism and espionage against the United States.

For years, we have allowed foreign agents from the Soviet Union, its satellites and client-states to conduct a host of subversive activities in the United States under the cover of diplomatic status. Despite the extensive damage to our national security resulting from this policy, we continue to allow thousands of "diplomats" to travel freely within our borders, knowingly allowing them to spy on important American industrial and governmental installations.

My bill would take two major steps to change our policy. First, it would expand the current travel service regulations to include hostile nations and organizations supporting espionage and terrorist activities. This would mean adding to this category those which are currently excluded: the African National Congress, the People's Republic of China, Hungary, Nicaragua, Romania, the South West Africa People's Organization, South Yemen, and Syria. Second, it would restrict the travel of foreign officials to the city limits of the area where they work (a restriction now applied only to Libya's U.N. mission).

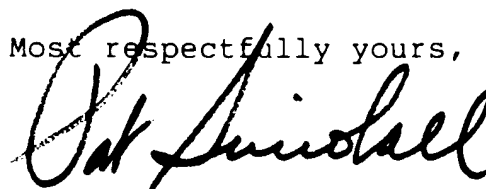
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Knowing of the Administration's possible concerns over reciprocity, I have written my bill to allow the Offices of the Attorney General and Secretary of State to make exceptions to the restrictions if they are inconsistent with our national security and foreign policy interests.

I am sure we both agree on the necessity of protecting our national security interests and assuring the safety of our citizens. My bill aims at doing this by inhibiting hostile intelligence operations and reducing the FBI's surveillance costs. I would, therefore, request your comment on whether my legislation would pursue these objectives in the proper manner. For your information, I have enclosed a copy of the bill in the form I will offer it as an amendment to the Foreign Affairs Authorization bill. Since this legislation will be considered shortly, I would appreciate a response from you as soon as possible.

Most respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pat Swindall", written in a cursive style.

PATRICK L. SWINDALL  
Member of Congress

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cc: William H. Webster  
Frank C. Carlucci

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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1777, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MR. SWINDALL OF GEORGIA

Page 27, after line 13, add the following:

1 SEC. 137. TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN FOREIGN  
2 MISSIONS AND FOREIGN ORGANIZATIONS IN THE  
3 UNITED STATES.

4 (a) IMPOSITION OF RESTRICTIONS.--The State Department  
5 Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (as amended by section 128) is  
6 amended by adding at the end of title II (22 U.S.C. 4301 et  
7 seq.; commonly referred to as the ``Foreign Missions Act``)  
8 the following:

9 ``SEC. 216. TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN  
10 FOREIGN MISSIONS AND FOREIGN ORGANIZATIONS IN  
11 THE UNITED STATES.

12 `` (a) TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS.--The travel of any individual  
13 while in the United States, other than a national or  
14 permanent resident alien of the United States, who is one of  
15 the personnel of--

16 `` (1) an international organization defined in  
17 section 209(b)(1),

18 `` (2) an official mission to an organization defined  
19 in section 209(b)(1) from a country specified in  
20 subsection (c)(1),

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1           ``(3) any organization specified in subsection (c)(2)  
2       which has a standing invitation to participate in the  
3       sessions and the work of the General Assembly of the  
4       United Nations as an observer and maintains a permanent  
5       office at the United Nations headquarters,

6           ``(4) any organization specified in subsection (c)(2)  
7       which is not described in paragraph (3), or

8           ``(5) any foreign mission (as defined in section  
9       202(4)) of a country specified in subsection (c)(1),  
10      shall be limited to the municipal city limits of the city in  
11      which such organization or mission is located, except that  
12      for purposes of travel between missions of a country, direct  
13      access shall be permitted to and from airports serviced by  
14      major air carriers providing interstate or intrastate  
15      service.

16       ``(b) SPECIAL RULE FOR WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF  
17      COLUMBIA.--For purposes of paragraphs (4) and (5) of  
18      subsection (a), the metropolitan area of Washington, District  
19      of Columbia, is that portion of the area which is encircled  
20      by interstate route 495 on the west and and 95 on the east  
21      (commonly referred to as the 'Beltway').

22       ``(c) COUNTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS TO WHICH RESTRICTION  
23      APPLIES.--

24           ``(1) The countries referred to in subsection (a) are  
25      Afghanistan, the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic, the

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1 Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the German  
2 Democratic Republic, the Hungarian People's Republic,  
3 Iran, Libya, the Mongolian People's Republic, Nicaragua,  
4 the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, the People's  
5 Republic of Bulgaria, the People's Republic of China, the  
6 Polish People's Republic, the Republic of Cuba, the  
7 Socialist Republic of Romania, the Socialist Republic of  
8 Vietnam, Syria, and the Union of Soviet Socialist  
9 Republics (including the Byelorussian S.S.R. and the  
10 Ukrainian S.S.R.).

11       ``(2) The organizations referred to in subsection  
12 (a)(1) are the African National Congress, the Palestine  
13 Liberation Organization, and the South West Africa  
14 People's Organization.

15       ``(d) WAIVER.--The Attorney General of the United States  
16 may waive the restrictions in subsection (a) if the Attorney  
17 General, in consultation with the Secretary, determines and  
18 reports to the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on  
19 Foreign Affairs, and the Permanent Select Committee on  
20 Intelligence of the House of Representatives and the  
21 Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Foreign  
22 Relations, and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the  
23 Senate that--

24       ``(1) the national security and foreign policy  
25 interests of the United States require that such

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1 restrictions be waived in specific circumstances with  
2 respect to the missions of a country; or

3 `` (2) the national security and foreign policy  
4 interests of the United States require that such  
5 restrictions be waived in specific circumstances with  
6 respect to an individual.``.

7 (b) REPORTS.--The Attorney General of the United States  
8 and the Secretary of State shall prepare and transmit to the  
9 Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Foreign Affairs,  
10 and the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the  
11 House of Representatives and the Committee on the Judiciary,  
12 the Committee on Foreign Relations, and the Select Committee  
13 on Intelligence of the Senate--

14 (1) not later than 30 days after the date of  
15 enactment of this section, a report describing the plans  
16 of the Attorney General and the Secretary of State for  
17 implementing the provisions of the amendment made by  
18 subsection (a); and

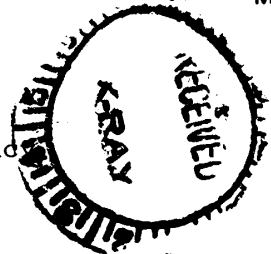
19 (2) not later than 6 months after the date of  
20 enactment of this section, a report describing the  
21 actions taken pursuant to these plans.

22 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.--The amendment made by subsection (a)  
23 shall take effect 90 days after the date of enactment of this  
24 Act.

**Congress of the United States**  
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Mr. James M. Frey  
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Office of Management and Budget  
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Dear Mr. Frey:

Enclosed is a copy of the Agency's draft testimony on H.R. 1013, relating to congressional oversight of the intelligence activities of the United States, to be presented before the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence on 4 June 1987. Your advice is requested as to whether there is any objection to the submission of this testimony from the standpoint of the President's program.

Sincerely, -



Deputy Director for Legislation  
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